

# PUBLIC PROTECTION AND SAFETY COMMITTEE

## MINUTES

**DATE:** Wednesday, December 14, 2011

**TIME:** 5:00 p.m.

**PLACE:** Lower Level Training Room, City Hall

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Alderpersons Kittelson, Sampson, Carlson, VanAkkeren, and Dekker (5:25 p.m.)

Call to order – The fifteenth meeting of the 2011-12 Public Protection & Safety Committee  
The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Chairperson Kittelson.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Introduction of Committee Members and Guests

Approval of the minutes of the Public Protection and Safety Committee meetings from November 30, 2011. Alderperson Sampson moved to approve. Seconded by Alderperson Carlson. Motion passed 4 - 0.

1. **R. O. No. 297-11-12 (17-25)** submitting a communication from Ronald Van Rooyen, President of RCS, Inc., requesting painted crosswalk pavement markings across Geele Ave. between N. 15<sup>th</sup> St. and Calumet Dr. Ryan Sazama was present. He indicated he talked to Mr. Van Rooyen and the crosswalk he is talking about is part of the urban trail being built. The crosswalk will be constructed next year. Alderperson Carlson moved to file. Seconded by Alderperson VanAkkeren. Motion passed 4 – 0.
2. **R. O. No. 301-11-12 (17-29)** submitting a communication from Dr. Matthew Driscoll, Principal of James Madison Elementary School, requesting David Ave. be made a one way street between S. 22<sup>nd</sup> and S. 24<sup>th</sup> Streets from east to west, and that City crossing guards be placed at the intersections of S. 22<sup>nd</sup> and David Ave. and S. 22<sup>nd</sup> and Georgia Ave. Ryan Sazama advised that he will be meeting with Mr. Driscoll to determine exactly what the issues are. He asked that the communication be held for two weeks. Alderperson Carlson moved to hold. Seconded by Alderperson Sampson. Motion passed 4 – 0.
3. **R. O. No. 302-11-12 (17-31)** by the Fire Chief submitting the report of departmental activity for the period commencing July 1, 2011 and ending September 30, 2011. Alderperson Sampson asked for a breakdown of the percentage of Medicare/Medicaid paid medical calls. Chief Hermann advised that this information can be included with the quarterly EMS report. Discussion continued regarding ambulance rates and collection rates, as well as the frequency of finding working smoke detectors in residential properties. Alderperson Carlson moved to accept and file. Seconded by Alderperson VanAkkeren. Motion passed 4 – 0.
4. **R. O. No. 298-11-12 (17-26)** submitting a communication from Anthony McDaniel requesting a waiver from the Sex Offender Residency restrictions to live at 1913 N. 15<sup>th</sup>

St. Anthony McDaniel was present. Mr. McDaniel indicated he has resided at 1913 N. 15<sup>th</sup> Street since approximately June. After discussion, Alderperson Sampson moved to approve. Seconded by Alderperson Carlson. Motion passed 4 – 0.

5. **R. O. No. 299-11-12 (17-27)** submitting a communication from Andrew Sarber requesting a waiver of the Sex Offender Residency restrictions to live at 1537 N. 11<sup>th</sup> St. until December 16<sup>th</sup>, when he will be moving out of the City. Andrew Sarber was present. He indicated he is currently staying at 1537 N. 11<sup>th</sup> Street and has lived there in the past. After discussion, Alderperson VanAkkeren moved to deny. Seconded by Alderperson Carlson. Motion to deny passed 4 (VanAkkeren, Carlson, Sampson, Dekker) to 1 (Kittelson).
6. **R. O. No. 300-11-12 (17-28)** submitting a communication from Christopher Jolitz requesting a waiver of the Sex Offender Residency restrictions to live at 422 Huron Ave. Chief Domagalski advised that Mr. Jolitz came in and asked to withdraw the request for this address. Alderperson Carlson moved to file. Seconded by Alderperson Sampson. Motion passed 5 – 0.

**Next meeting date: December 28, 2011 at 5:00 p.m.**

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 5:44 p.m.

JEAN KITTELSON – CHAIRMAN

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